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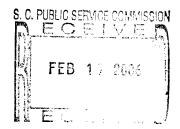


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Mr. Charles L.A. Terreni Chief Clerk/Administrator South Carolina Public Service Commission 101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29210



Re: Application of IPC Network Service, Incorporated for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Resold Local Exchange and Resold Long Distance Telecommunications Services and for Flexible Regulation of Its Local Exchange Services and Alternative Regulation of Its Long Distance Offerings **Docket No. 2006-55-**C

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and one (1) copy of the Notice of Appearance of Counsel in the above referenced matter. Please date stamp the extra copy of the Notice of Appearance of Counsel in the above referenced matter. Please date stamp the extra copy of the Notice of Appearance of Counsel in the above referenced matter.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Shannon Bowyer Hudson

Sharron Bowyn Hudson

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cc: Thomas M. Lynch, Esquire

BEFORE

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SOUTH CAROLINA

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For a Certificate of Public Convenience and)
Necessity to Provide Resold Local Exchange and)
Resold Long Distance Telecommunications Services)
And for Flexible Regulation of its Local Exchange)
Services and Alternative Regulation of Its Long)
Distance Offerings

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE OF THE SON FEB 17 2006

TO: THOMAS M. LYNCH, ESQUIRE, COUNSEL FOR IPC NETWORK SERVICES, INCORPORATED

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Shannon Bowyer Hudson gives notice of appearance as counsel for the Office of Regulatory Staff in the above-captioned matter. Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-4-10 as enacted by 2004 S.C. Acts 175, the Office of Regulatory Staff is a party of record in all filings, applications, and proceedings before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. Any further information or correspondence filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina should also be served on the undersigned as counsel for the Office of Regulatory Staff.

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This is to certify that I, Pamela McMullan, an employee with the Office of Regulatory Staff, have this date served one (1) copy of the NOTICE OF APPEARANCE OF COUNSEL in the above-referenced matter to the person(s) named below by causing said copy to be deposited in the United States Postal Service, first class postage prepaid and affixed thereto, and addressed as shown below:

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